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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1630

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SUBJECT: CONSULAR STAFFING BOGOTA

REF: A) STATE 235203, B) STATE 206770

1. ALTHOUGH OFFICER ASSIGNED TO FILL NEW SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES POSITION AUTHORIZED BY REFTEL A NOT SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE UNTIL JANUARY/FEBRUARY, EMBASSY ALREADY MAKING CONCERTED EFFORT TO INCREASE PROTECTION/WELFARE SERVICES FOR AMERICAN PRISONERS, ESPECIALLY MORE FREQUENT VISITS AND STATUS REPORTS TO DEPARTMENT.

2. AT THIS POINT WE URGENTLY NEED ONE OF LOCAL POSITIONS BUREAU PLANNING AUTHORIZE PER PARA 1, REFTEL B. AT PRESENT WE HAVE ONLY ONE LOCAL POSITION FOR ALL PROTECTION AND SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES WORK. IF POSITION COULD BE AUTHORIZED IMMEDIATELY THIS KEY EMPLOYEE COULD BE RELIEVED FROM TIME-CONSUMING CLERICAL FUNCTION TO DEVOTE FULL TIME TO PRISONERS WELFARE.

3. IT IS REQUESTED THAT DEPARTMENT AUTHORIZE THIS POSITION ASAP. IF UNABLE AUTHORIZE PERMANENT POSITION AT THIS TIME, REQUEST THAT PIT POSITION BE AUTHORIZED UNTIL PERMANENT POSITION CAN BE APPROVED.

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